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Voting Places In Glades Changed To Meet New Needs

County officials and school board members this week are working out final details of a plan that will change the location of many of the county's polling places for future elections.

Plagued by inability to keep the same polling places from year to year, under a plan developed by County Commissioner Lake Lital, County Registrar Dewitt Upthegrove and Frank Saker, county voting machine custodian, most of the polling places for future election will be placed in public school and other public buildings.

The county's entire polling places were reviewed by the committee and locations not believed suitable were changed, the committee reported.

The county commission Monday approved the list of new polling places and authorized Commissioner Lital to work out final details of the plan with school board authorities.

In the Glades the following places will be used for voting:
35—Community Hall, Canal Pt.
36—Pahokee School Gym
37—Belle Glade Hi School Gym
38—Belle Glade Hi School Gym
38A—Lake Shore H. S. Library
39—Town Hall, South Bay
40—Lake H. School Highway

WMU County Meet In Pahokee Today

Friday, July 12th, is to be a big day for the women of the First Baptist Church in Pahokee. The WMU Association Meeting will be held at the church from 11:00 a. m. until 2:00 p. m. A sandwich luncheon will be served at noon. All the churches in the Palm Lake Association will be represented.

These include the following Baptist churches: Belle Glade, Canal Point, Greenways City, Lake Harbor, Lake Worth, Loxahatchee, Pahokee, Riviera Beach, First Baptist, West Palm Beach, Haverhill, West Palm Beach, Lake Ave., West Palm Beach, Westgate, West Palm Beach, Northwood, West Palm Beach. All of the women are urged to attend this meeting.

The public is cordially invited to worship with us at every service. Our Sunday School meets at 9:45 Morning Worship Hour at 11:00, Training Union at 6:45, and the Evening Worship Hour at 8:00. Mid-week Prayer Hour meets at 7:30 on Wednesday evening.

Dr. N. Q. Greer will bring the messages again this Sunday. It is hoped everyone will come to hear Dr. Greer as he supplies for the Pastor who is away on vacation.

HOME FROM GERMANY

SP-2 John A. Rogers, who has been stationed in Germany by the U. S. Army for the past 17 months, will board a ship for his return to the United States on July 19, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rogers of Pahokee. He is scheduled to receive an honorable discharge from the Army this summer.

Faster Action Is Sought On Ave "E" And Office Bldg.

A delay in drafting final plans for the Glades office building will hold up opening of bids on the project until August 12.

County Commissioner Paul Rardin this week protested the delay, which County Engineer Steve Middleton blamed to unforeseen problems being experienced by the building architect.

Bids had originally been scheduled for opening in late July but the commission this week was forced to set a new date in order that prospective bidders would have ample time to study building plans before submitting their bids.

Rardin this week, also protested delay for improvement of Ave. E in Belle Glade. He asked that a telegraphic progress report be obtained from the State Road Department.

\$196,000 Armory In Belle Glade To Be Dedicated Aug. 4th

A group of high ranking men in the Florida National Guard inspected officially the new \$196,000 armory at Belle Glade according to Sgt. Douglas Lee.

In the inspection party were Col Julian Pfaff, property and fiscal officer for Florida, of St. Augustine; Col. Ralph Cooper, state quartermaster representative, of St. Augustine and D. B. Scovall, architect, of West Palm Beach.

The new building located on State Road 80, about a quarter mile south of Belle Glade, has been built by the Palmer Construction Co. of Hollywood. Dedication ceremonies are being planned for Aug. 4. At that time Col Oliver W. Hartwell, of West Palm Beach, will present Company E, with a state flag. The local National Guard unit, made up of enlistees from around the Lake area, have been using quarters in the American Legion building in Belle Glade and using the streets for a parade ground since the unit was activated.

Funeral Services For H. L. Hatton, 79

Private graveside services for Harvey Lucas Hatton, 79, of Fort Lauderdale were held at 9 a. m. Wednesday at the Lauderdale Memorial Park.

Mr. Hatton died Monday afternoon at the Everglades Memorial Hospital. He became ill while visiting his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hatton, Sr., in Pahokee. A native of Kentucky, he was a retired real estate broker and a member of the First Baptist Church in Fort Lauderdale.

Survivors include his wife, Ethel Hatton; three sons, Joe Hatton, Sr. and Robert G. Hatton, both of Pahokee, and E. L. Hatton, Jr., Fort Lauderdale; one daughter, Mrs. Julia Langford, West Palm Beach; one brother, Luther Hatton, Dania; and one sister, Mrs. Viola Roberts of Kentucky.

Joe Alderman Is Rotary President

Joe Alderman, owner and operator of the Glades Mercantile Company in Pahokee and a Rotarian for 18 years, yesterday took over the gavel as president of the Pahokee Rotary Club. He succeeds Vance Denton who has had an unusually good year as president. Bob Apelgren is vice president and Lynn Hunter is secretary-treasurer.

President Alderman announced his committees at yesterday's meeting. They are as follows:
Director "A" Club Service—

Bill Plummer
Attendance—B. A. Belcher, Chairman; Willis, Knight.

Classification—Vic Geiger, Chairman; Shaughnessy, Sanders. Club Bulletin—Sam Humphreys, Chairman; Moore, Batchelor.

Fellowship—Paul Rardin, Chairman; Lee Shirley, Tillis.

Magazine—Sasser Watson, Chairman; Gist, Parnell.

Program—Vance Denton, Chairman; Batchelor, Thompson, Apelgren.

Public Information—Olaf Boe, Chairman; Hunter, Rardin.

Rotary Information—Elmer Jones, Chairman; C. Shirley, Ludlam.

Sergeant-At-Arms—Gene Pickren, Chairman; Assistants: Johnson, Holman.

Music—Bob Lampi, Chairman; Lee Shirley, Jones, Dulany.

Director "B" Vocational Service—James Moore

Buyer-Seller Relations—Johnny Thomas, Chairman; Keen, Schmidt.

Employer-Employee Relations—Claude Shirley, Chairman; Boe, Humphreys.

Competitor Relations—Joe Kahn, Chairman; Jones, Schmidt.

Four-Way Test—John Dulany, Chairman; Knight, Simonson.

Director "C" Community Service—Hank Aldridge

Traffic—Community Safety—Bob Apelgren, Chairman; Johnson, Willis, Tillis.

Student Loan—O. B. McClure, Chairman; Kahn, Young.

Youth Activities—Mike Sanders, Chairman; Lampi, Watson, Ludlam.

Welfare Fund—Forch Holman, Chairman; Whidden, Thompson.

Civic Projects—Claude Shirley, Chairman; Aldridge, Shaughnessy.

Director "D" International Service—Vance Denton

International Contacts—Wheeler Ludlam, Chairman; Belcher Williams.

International Information—Vance Denton, Chairman; Gist, Holman.

International Student Projects—Joe Kahn, Chairman; Gist Holman.

The Rotary Foundation—Thadd Whidden, Chairman; McClure, Pickren.

16 New Lights For Local Baptist Church

The Canal Point Baptist Church is installing 16 Marco Holoplane Controls Recessed Lighting Fixtures in the Church Auditorium. This work will most likely be completed by this week-end. Russell Maxson is doing the work.

Drag Racing Is Out On County Roads & Airport

State law prohibits the use of county owned roads and the Glades Airport runways as speedways for drag racing the county commission was advised Monday.

Commissioner Paul Rardin, Canal Point asked if drag racing enthusiasts are permitted to use roads and runways owned by the county, for raceways. He was given a negative answer by County Attorney Harry Johnston.

Commissioner Rardin asked that the board, through its attorney, notify Clarence Kidder, Belle Glade drag racing would not be permitted on the airport runways and county roads.

Lion Pres. Repper Tells Committees

J. W. Repper, new president of the Canal Point Lions Club, named chairmen of standing committees for the coming year at the dinner meeting of the club Monday night.

Lon Adams was named chairman of the attendance committee.

Albert Fremd, finance; P. A. Sloan, public relations; M. M. Martin, Jr., club bulletin; J. G. Weeks, convention; Alton Jones and Pope Sears, membership.

Kyle Scott and O. H. Sheppard, boys and girls; Gauden Harrington, citizenship; Floyd Erickson and Grady Echols, civic improvement; H. H. Sears and Bob Mobley, community betterment; Carl Crawford and A. R. Harrington, education; Grady Boynton and Bill Gallick, health and welfare; Arnold Barad and James Moore, safety; John Crawford, sight conservation; D. L. Hooks, greeting; A. R. Harrington, Carl Crawford and Osceola Upthegrove, program; P. A. Sloan, information; Albert Fremd and A. R. Harrington, agricultural awards.

Bob Mobley was received as a new member.

Curtis Chase, Glades manager of the Florida Power and Light Company, was guest speaker. Introduced by Osceola Upthegrove, he spoke about some of the policies and future plans of his company and answered questions from the floor.

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County Budget Is Raised 2.57 Mills To Cover Costs

Faced with keeping abreast of operating costs for one of Florida's fastest growing sections, the Palm Beach County Commission Monday gave approval to an operating budget of some \$8.2 million for the coming year—expenditures which will boost the tax levy by 2.57 mills.

Millage for the coming year was set at 19.20 and was only kept from going higher by governmental economies carried out by the commission during the past year which provided a cash carry-over of more than \$1.7 million for the coming fiscal term.

Commissioners this week said all efforts had been made to keep county expenditures at a minimum but increased costs of operation plus demands for additional services and capital improvements has pushed proposed expenditures beyond the \$8 million mark.

The board members emphasized that the budget in its present form is tentative and is open for inspection by county residents for the next two weeks.

Greatest increase in tax levies was the county's capital outlay fund which was boosted 2.05 mills to take care of the areas expanded.

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Carr Settle Sells Moore Haven Paper

MOORE HAVEN—Mrs. Beryl Fowden, vice president of Clewiston News, Inc., announce the purchase by that corporation of The Glades County Democrat, only paper in Glades County, from its owners, Mr. and Mrs. Carr Settle.

K. R. Thompson is president of the News corporation and Loyal Phillips, publisher of the St. Petersburg Independent, is secretary-treasurer.

The Democrat and The News were under the same management for 16 years prior to 1950, when the Settles purchased The Democrat. With ever mounting costs of operation, it has become evident to both publishers that a consolidation of ownership, management and operation, would enable them to do a more effective job and will serve to strengthen each paper in its own community.

Mrs. Bowden will continue as publisher and managing editor of The Clewiston News. Settle will remain managing editor of The Democrat and will assume also the duties as managing editor of the Hendry County News at LaBelle, also owned by the corporation.

The operation will be streamlined in many of the details of office management and in division of labor of certain printing work. Mrs. Settle will continue as linotype operator at The Democrat.

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Here Is What Transpired At Monday's Meeting Of The Palm Beach County Commission

Early action for placing house numbers on all homes in the urban and rural sections of Palm Beach County was seen Monday following a move by the county commission to follow out such a plan.

The board, for some time, has been studying the best ways and types of numbering homes in areas outside municipalities — a move that has the blessing of the postal department which seeks to eliminate the use of rural route box numbers as home addresses.

Commissioner Lake Lytal, who was named to head up a house numbering committee, urged that action be taken immediately to initiate some kind of numbering plan and that a person be employed to carry out the assignment.

In other actions this week, the commission

Authorized a change in use of bond money which had been set aside for improving a section of 8th Ave in South Bay. Under a new plan, approved by the state, bond money set aside for the work will be used to build a connection between 8th Ave. and highway 27, with the original 8th Ave improvements to be financed by South Bay.

Approved the payment of \$2,875 to the City of West Palm Beach for a lot of county buildings as a site for a new health building. Approved transfer of a site at the Negro Children's Home to the school board as a location for a new school.

Received tax levies from the Southeastern Palm Beach County Hospital district—two mills; South Lake Worth Inlet District, 1.61 mills and the Port of Palm Beach, 4.75 mills.

Port commissioners said last week the port levy was to be reduced but the original levy of 4.75 was the figure which was certified to the tax assessor. County Commissioners said the board had not been informed of any levy reduction planned by the port commission and that the 4.75 levy was all that had been forwarded by the port group.

An appeal for return of half of a \$10,000 bond which was estreated to Palm Beach County was being studied this week by the county commission.

The board was informed Monday that a \$10,000 bond which had been posted for the court appearance of Louis Raxlen, now in custody of Canadian officials, failed to make an appearance here to face charges of writing bad checks.

The commission learned at the time the bond was posted by the Pan American Surety Co., that it had been endorsed by James Mear, Miami. After the bonding company paid the amount due the county, it took action to recover from Mear, according to P. C. Reese, attorney who represented Mear.

Reese said the Raxlen family had made \$5,000 available to pay Mear for half of the bond money

and in addition had made funds available to make restitution for the bad checks.

Reese said the amount of the bond was too high for the charges involved and described the surety as "the most outrageous bond ever set in Palm Beach County." The amount was set by a Miami judge substituting in criminal court here, Reese said.

He asked the commission to return \$5,000 to the bonding company.

County Attorney Harry Johnston said the bond could not be cancelled but agreed to give the request further study and report back to the commission.

Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

Hello everybody! Japanese women are endowed with just as many curves as American women, including Marilyn Monroe, according to Shirley Yamaguchi, Japanese film star. "It's our national costume, the kimono, which may have given the contrary impression," Miss Yamaguchi said and went on to explain that there is a kimono reform going on right now as a part and parcel of the post-war World War II emergence of Japanese womanhood from the restraint to centuries. Although many of her country-women have adopted the dress of the western world Miss Yamaguchi still wears the kimono but in a streamlined form. Designed by her husband, Isamu Noguchi, the noted impressionist Nisei sculptor, and the Parisian courtier Pierre Balmain, Miss Yamaguchi's kimonos are fitted at the bust and hips and the traditional obi, or sash, is narrowed and confined to a single wrapping, secured by a zipper. All this is marked contrast to the traditional garment cut in one piece from a single strip of cloth 36 yards long and bound at the waist by an obi, one foot wide and 12 feet long. "With three or four thicknesses of heavy silk at the waist, the obi itself de-emphasizes the figure," Miss Yamaguchi explained, "and when it binds the loose folds of the kimono, there is no figure left. Put on according to tradition," she said, "the kimono and obi requires a full hour and help of at least one person. This is too much time out of the day. It's not modern." Miss Yamaguchi has won a coveted spot as a top flight star in Hollywood films. See you the movies—Mal.

Florida's most beautiful girls, selected by the Florida Junior Chamber of Commerce will compete at Sarasota for the title of Miss Florida. The winner will qualify to enter the Miss America contest at Atlantic City.

Cadet Stuart Is In ROTC Training

Cadet Edwin L. Stuart, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stuart who live at Canal Point, is presently attending the Air Force ROTC summer training unit at Macdill Air Force Base, near Tampa, Fla.

Cadet Stuart who has completed his junior year in advanced AF-ROTC at University of Florida, is attending a 4-week summer training period as part of his reserve officer training at college.

While at summer training, Cadet Stuart, actually observes the Air Force in action and participates in many of the air force operations.

Following graduation, Cadet Edwin L. Stuart will be eligible for appointment as a second Lieutenant in the air force reserve and for entry into flight training to win the coveted silver wings of an air force aviator.

Evidence of Tampa's growth is shown in a recent report of the Peninsular Telephone Company announcing that they have just installed the 100,000th telephone in Tampa.

4,157 People Get Welfare Aid In June

Thomas E. Fenick, Chairman of District Board 10 of the State Department of Public Welfare, reported that in Palm Beach County 4,157 persons were assisted in the four categories of public assistance for the month of June.

A total of 1,603 persons received Old Age Assistance in the amount of \$77,958.50. 79 persons received Aid to the Blind, totaling \$4,250.00. 594 families, representing 1,870 children, received Aid to Dependent Children in the amount of \$36,346.00. 97 persons received Aid to the Disabled in the amount of \$5,022.50.

In addition 117 children received service during the month, 65 of whom were in foster homes. The total State and local cost for these child welfare services was \$3,383.41.

There were 4 adoption petitions studied for the Circuit Court. These are children placed in homes independent of service through a licensed child placement agency, and the Welfare Board is responsible according to law to make

these reports to the court.

Palm Beach County is also represented on the District 10 Board by Mrs. Doris Sasser, Pahokee; Mrs. Helen R. Tedder and Mrs. Helen D. Woodward, West Palm Beach.

Pahokee Lions Hear Engineer

John A. Stinson, project engineer for the Public Housing Administration, was guest speaker at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Lions Club. The speaker was introduced by L. M. Collins, program chairman.

Program assignments through Sept. 10 were given to various members at the meeting: Ralph O. Johnson, July 16th program; Billy McKinstry, July 23; Duncan Padgett, Aug. 6; R. J. Schroder, Aug. 13; R. B. Simonson, Aug. 20; Lewis Friend, Sept. 3, and E. B. Gamble, Sept. 10.

Richard Shackford has gone to Salisbury, N. C., to assist his uncle, Warren Chard, in the vegetable produce business there this summer.

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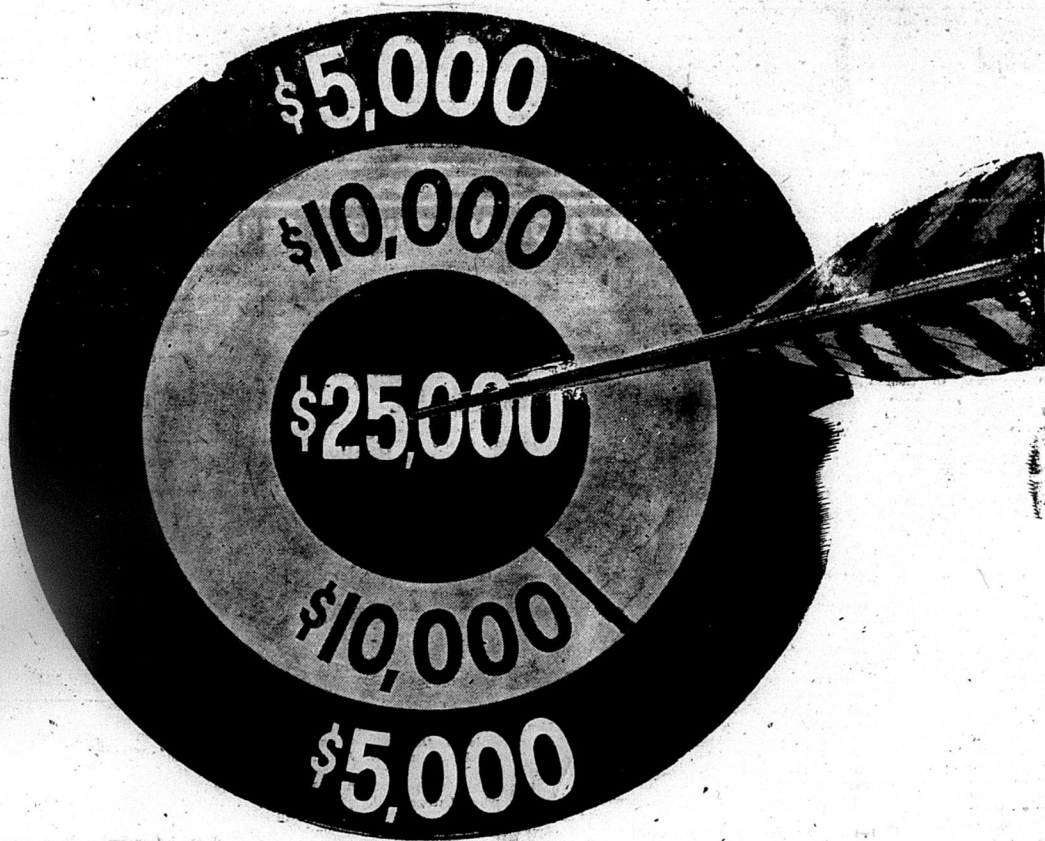
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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Dr. N. Q. Geer of Belle Glade, a retired Baptist minister, is conducting the worship services at the Pahokee First Baptist Church on Sundays during the absence of the pastor, the Rev. James E. Boyd, who is on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hurt and children are spending a vacation with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moody, at Boone, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Davis and son, David, are spending the summer at Hendersonville, N. C.

Mrs. Cleo Douthitt and Mrs. Dorothy Simmons are leaving this week for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Griffin, at Ochlochnee, Ga.

Mrs. Clarence Langford and children, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Geiger, in Canal Point for the past month, have returned to their home at Hampton, Va. Lt. Langford joined them at Jacksonville to accompany them home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sappington and daughter, Twyla, accompanied by Mrs. George Johnson, have returned from a vacation visit in Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee.

Jack W. Strayer and son, Woody, of Canal Point have gone to New Bern, N. C. where they will be employed for the next five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hueston Connell and children are spending their vacation at Bridgeport, W. Va.

Mrs. Helen Schroder joined friends at Bradenton the past week on a trip to Pennsylvania where she will spend the summer with relatives.

Mrs. Seth W. Roberts has returned from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary McArthur, and other relatives at Slocumb, Ala.

Mrs. H. M. McIntosh and son, Kenny, have returned from a month's tour of the Western states, including a stopover at Yellowstone National Park where her daughter, Annette, is employed this summer.

Miss Sandra Long left the past week on a vacation trip to Minneapolis, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morgan had as recent guests her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Shelton of Paris, Texas; also Henry Rose of Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hardaway and son, Richard, have returned from a vacation spent with relatives and friends in Arkansas.

Mrs. Susan Wilson and son, Van, spent several days this week in Jacksonville with her sister, Miss Genevieve Bardin. While there they visited the Atlantic Beaches and on the return trip took in the many interesting sights in St. Augustine.

Mrs. Paul Rardin returned to her home in Canal Point last week-end after spending several weeks in Glennville, Ga., where she had been called by the sudden illness and death of her father, Dr. W. O. Stogland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harrington and family are on vacation trip to New York and Washington where they are visiting many points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Norris, of Macon, Ga., were guests this past week-end of their sister, Mrs. Charles D. Stewart, and Mrs. J. R. Norris, Mrs. Stewart's mother in Canal Point.

The Tione Patterson Circle of the Canal Point WMU met Monday p. m. at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. J. J. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gray attending funeral services for his sister, Mrs. W. F. Conroy, at Orlando Friday.

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Mrs. Pearl Agner is spending two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Kilpatrick, at Christmas, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barnes visited his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Randolph, at Bonita Springs Sunday.

Robert N. Nance returned Tuesday from a three weeks' visit with relatives in Lake City, Tenn.

Harold M. Yoemans has returned from a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Yoemans, at Adel, Ga.

Mrs. Guy Thompson and daughter, Della, have returned from a visit with her parents in Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Schroder of West Palm Beach spent the weekend in Pahokee visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Schroder. Mr. Schroder, who is taking a training course sponsored by the Western Electric Company this summer, attended classes in Miami the past week.

Mrs. E. F. McIlwain and daughter, Jill, have returned from a visit with relatives in Wauchula.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Sims are visiting relatives in Miami this week.

Lee Wroten, who is employed at Melbourne this summer, spent the weekend in Pahokee with his family.

Arnold Scruggs joined Mrs. Scruggs in Gainesville Saturday for a visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Padgett and new grandson who was born at the Alachua Co. Hospital on June 22. Before returning home they motored to Morven, Ga., on Sunday to attend a reunion of the Scruggs family at which 300 members were present.

Robert C. Hatton, who has been vacationing with his family at Chicago, Ill., returned by plane the first of the week to attend funeral services for his father, Harvey Lucas Hatton, which were held at Lauderdale Memorial Park, Fort Lauderdale, Wednesday morning. Joy Alderman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Alderman, and Wayne Boynton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boynton, are attending the Fourth National Jamboree of the Boy Scouts of America at Valley Forge, Pa., July 12-18.

Mrs. Walter Cross of Belle Glade is a patient at Everglades Memorial Hospital in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barnes had as guests the past week Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes and daughter, Susan, and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rosser of Jenkinsburg, Ga.

Dr. and Mrs. Gordon H. Schuetler left Sunday for a visit with relatives in Mamaroneck, N. Y. Enroute they will stop at Indianapolis, Ind., to attend the homecoming celebration of the Lincoln Chiropractic College and plan to visit also with relatives in Cleveland, Ohio. Dr. Schuetler's offices in Pahokee and Okeechobee will be closed during their absence.

Mrs. I. Marshall Lair was called to Luvern, Ala., Monday, by the death of her uncle, J. D. Mathews, who died from a heart attack.

Mrs. Clyde Griffiths and son, Marc of Tampa are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Chastain.

Mrs. J. R. Norris who has been a patient at Everglades Memorial Hospital has returned to her home in Canal Point. Her condition is reported to have improved.

Miss Gwen Bracewell returned to her home Sunday after being a patient at the Everglades Memorial Hospital for several days.

Mrs. Ollie Adams and Mrs. Earl Maxson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stevens in Clewiston Tuesday night.

Mrs. Hoy Miller and Mrs. Wilson of West Palm Beach were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cross Wednesday. Mrs. Wilson celebrated her 84th birthday at the Cross home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Walston are expected to return this week from a vacation tour of California and other Western States.

Jean Clingan and Shirley Hignite have gone to Winsor, Conn., where they will be employed through the summer.

Councilman and Mrs. Hugo Boe have returned from a vacation trip to Washington, D. C., via the Blue Ridge Parkway and the Skyline Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Harris and children have returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Clause, at Lake Kerr in the Ocala National Forest.

Miss Dorothy Chastain and Mrs. Lois White are vacationing for several days in Nassau.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Chastain and Miss Dorothy Chastain have returned from several weeks in Cairo, Ga. and different points of interest in Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bordeaux returned after a vacation Tuesday night after a vacation spent in Jacksonville, Wilmington, N. C., Asheville and Waynesville, N. C. C. G. Coburn is a patient at Good Samaritan Hospital where he is recuperating from another heart attack.

The Tione Patterson Circle of the Canal Point Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. J. J. Walker at Port Mayaca, Monday. Mrs. J. D. Latham, chairman, presided over the business session. Mrs. Oscar Chastain gave the program. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Walker to, Mrs. C. B. Jones, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Charles D. Stewart, Mrs. Paul Rardin, Mrs. J. D. McCall, Mrs. Audrey Conley and Mrs. Oscar Chastain.

Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Armstrong will leave this week to spend a vacation at Colorado Springs, Colo. Mrs. Leo Wroten has gone to St. Cloud to visit her sister, Mrs. George Startzer, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. McClure are spending a vacation in West Palm Beach. Mr. and Mrs. Foster Lassiter and children plan to leave this week for a visit with relatives in North Carolina.

Mrs. Don Cook and children are spending a vacation with relatives at Rapid City, S. D.

Fellowship meetings were held in the social hall of the Pahokee First Methodist Church on Wednesday and Thursday nights at which time the Rev. Wayne Owens, pastor, reviewed the church budget for 1957-58 and answered questions relating to the budget. Refreshments were served at the end of the meetings.

Fuel Composition Rises In Florida

Florida motor fuel consumption for 1956, taxable for road construction purposes, was 1,395,093,000 gallons, a rise of 142,454,000 gallons over 1955—an 11.4 per cent increase, the State Road Department announced today.

South Dakota was second to Florida in the percentage increase in the use of motor fuels with an 11.2 rise. But the midwestern state's volume increase was much less than that of Florida.

Louisiana showed a 10.1 per cent increase. This was a 73,571,000 gallons gain over the 1955 volume of 802,449,000 gallons.

In the United States as a whole, the record showed a 4.9 per cent increase over 1955. This was a 2,311,234,000 gallon margin over the 1955 total of 47,597,840,000 gallons.

The increase in motor vehicle registrations in Florida almost paralleled the motor fuel consumption gain. In 1956 Florida marked up a 10.3 per cent total of 166,073 increase in motor vehicle registrations over the 1955 total of 1,615,652. Nevada led all states in percentage gain with 13.6, but the actual volume of registrations fell far short of Florida's count.

Percentage gain for the United States in vehicle registration was 4.0 per cent, an increase of 2,518,691 over the 1955 total of 62,693,819.

INTERESTING REPORTS

At the evening Worship Hour Sunday night at the Canal Point Baptist Church, some interesting reports and experiences will be shared by those who attended the Ridgcrest Training Union Assembly.

Sorority Honors Visiting Official

The Omicron Chapter of the Sigma Eta Sorority of Fine Arts, made up of members from the Glades area, participated in an exhibit of water color and oil paintings and ceramics with the Xi Chapter of Hollywood Sunday afternoon.

The exhibit, held at the home of Mrs. Fern Debold, was in honor of Mrs. Julie Atz of Fort Wayne, Ind., national president of Sigma Eta, on her visit to South Florida, and was a part of a week of activity honoring Mrs. Atz, which ended July 9. The national president, an accomplished vocal soloist, pianist and flutist, participated in the afternoon's program with songs and instrumental numbers.

On the refreshments table was a large cake decorated with pink roses, the sorority flower. Portions of the cake and punch were served to guests and members. Later in the evening a sorority dinner for Mrs. Atz was held at the Reefs.

New Miss Florida Really Going To Be Compensated

SARASOTA—The winner of the 1957 Miss Florida beauty queen contest is really going to get around the country and create quite a splash in the pool of promotional events for which Florida is famous.

Of course, she will be eligible to compete for the crown of "Miss America" at Atlantic City in September. But she will also receive a \$1,000 - plus - all - expense contract for modeling dresses; a \$75-a-week plus-expense contract with Sunshine Springs Water Circus; four weeks of paid vacations at hotels in Sarasota and Miami, and a 10-day modeling course at the Coronet Modeling Academy in Miami.

The contest will be held July 19-21 at Sunshine Springs in Sarasota under the auspices of the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Contestants, who will represent virtually every major city in Florida, now are in the process of being selected at local contests conducted by the Jaycees.

BRIDAL SHOWER

The Woman's Club building was the scene of a party and bridal shower in compliment to Mrs. Nicholas D. Gingersly who was Carolyn Crosby before her recent marriage to Airman Gingersly. Hostesses were the Misses Judy Shackford, Theresa Pope, Anita Cowart, Linda Sellers, Martha Gail Ammons and Trena Vandegrift.

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Births

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Williams (Patricia Ann Harrington) of Canal Point announce the birth of a son, Joe Jordan, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, July 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schmidt, owners and operators of Pahokee Drugs, announce the arrival of a daughter, Sandra Lynn, on July 3 at the Everglades Memorial hospital.

State Cabinet Is Activating New Purchasing Dept.

TALLAHASSEE — The state cabinet has taken steps to activate the state purchasing commission and the institutional reorganization program authorized by the 1957 legislature.

Ralph Siller was appointed acting director of the new purchasing commission. He was executive secretary of the former state purchasing council which was deactivated June 30.

Richard Culver, director of the new corrections department of the state institutions, will now have general supervision over the men's and women's prisons, the Apalachee correctional institution and the road camps.

Arthur G. Dozier, superintendent of the Florida School for Boys at Marianna, will also have overall supervision of the Florida School for Boys in Okeechobee County, the Florida School for Girls in Ocala and Forest Hills and the sundan training schools at Gainesville and Lee County.

Dr. William Rogers, superintendent of the state hospital in Chattahoochee, will also supervise the Arcadia branch and the North-east hospital at Macclenny and Southeast Florida hospital at Hollywood.

Uncle Ben Elliott In The Hospital

J. B. (Uncle Ben) Elliott was stricken ill at his home Friday and was taken to the Everglades Memorial Hospital for treatment. Among relatives from out of town who visited him at the hospital the past week were Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McLarty of Lake Worth, Mrs. Cohen Blakey of Orlando, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dozile of Fort Lauderdale and Mr. and Mrs. W. Harper Kendrick of Bradenton.

More than half the executives in 75 leading chemical companies have degrees in science or engineering or both, according to a study made by B. F. Goodrich Chemical Company.

THEATRES

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Pahokee

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	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$25,000
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This chart shows only a few typical examples of savings goals and the amount you must save each week. For more information, you can get a booklet titled "Payroll Savings Bonds" from the U.S. Treasury Department.

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First Methodist Church, Pahokee

Rev. Wayne Owens

SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Church School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:45 p. m.—MYF
7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAY:
7:00 p. m.—Vesper Choir practice
WEDNESDAY:
7:45 p. m.—Mid-week devotions
8:30 p. m.—Senior Choir practice

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Rev. Father C. C. Anderson
SUNDAY MASSES
First and Second Sunday 11 a. m.
All Other Sundays, 8 a. m.

The Pahokee Church Of The Nazarene

71 Bacom Point Road
Charles F. Crauswell, Pastor
Phone 7528 P. O. Box 892
SUNDAY SERVICES:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Sunday Worship
6:30 p. m.—Juniors
7:00 p. m.—Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service.
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer meeting.
"Where you are a stranger but once".

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The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

Rev. L. A. Sparks

SUNDAY:
10:00 a. m.—Church School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAYS:
7:30 p. m.—Youth Choir Practice
7:30 p. m.—Woman's Society 1st and 3rd Tuesdays
2nd MONDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Esther Class Meeting
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting
8:15 p. m.—Choir Practice

Holy Nativity Episcopal Church

M. Wendell Hainlin, Vicar

SUNDAY
11 a. m.—Sunday School
13 a. m.—Worship Service.

The Church Of God Of Prophecy

Canal Point Road
John H. Kinard, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service
7:45 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p. m. Tuesday—V.L.B.
8:00 p. m. Thursday—W. M. B.
Everyone welcome. Special music and singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Don B. Kepp left Tuesday for a month's vacation to be spent at Naples.

Canal Point Baptist Church

Rev. Charles D. Stewart, Pastor

SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p. m.—Training Union
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

Church Of God

(Barfield Highway)
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship
7:00 P. M.—L. W. W. B. (Parsonage)
7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship
7:30 P. M. Tuesday—Prayer Meeting
7:00 P. M. Friday—Children's Church
7:30 P. M. Friday—Y. P. E.

St. Peter's Lutheran Church

Erwin J. Baumgartner, Pastor
601 W. Lake Rd., Belle Glade
SUNDAY:
Divine Services 11 A. M.
School 9:45 A. M.

First Baptist Church, Pahokee

Rev. James E. Boyd, pastor
SUNDAY SERVICES:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:45 p. m.—Training Union
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
8:00 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

Christian Science Group Of Canal Point

—How consistent prayer, based on spiritual understanding of God, brings health and freedom will be brought out at Christian Science services Sunday.

Keynoting the Lesson-Sermon on "Sacrament" is the Golden Text from Matthew (6:9): "Thou, when thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret, shall reward thee openly."

Selections to be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy include the following (4:3-5): "What we most need is the prayer of fervent desire for growth in grace, expressed in patience, meekness, love, and good deeds."

The following will be among passages read from the Bible (Psalms 19:14): "Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength, and my redeemer."

Flying time between Havana and New York will be reduced to two hours and 30 minutes, and between Havana and Mexican City to two hours and 15 minutes when Cubana Airlines start using 707 Boeing jets in 1960.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE: New and used Willys Jeeps. Walter Ashley's Garage in Belle Glade, Phone 3058.
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Look at the name label on your paper and you can tell when your subscription expires. A \$2.00 check will keep the paper coming for another year. The Everglades News, Canal Point, Fla.

HELP WANTED: Floor manager at Prince Theatre in Pahokee, Fla., man or woman, apply in person at theatre 10 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. Jys

Coral Castle Is Tourist Stopper

MIAMI — Anyone interested in astronomy will find Coral Castle, 25 miles south of Miami on US 1, a fascinating showplace.

The creation of Latvian immigrant Edward Leedskalnin, astronomer is the principal motif. One of the most interesting points is an all-stone Polaris telescope weighing 28 tons and 25 feet in height.

Another remarkable attraction is the "Moon Fountain," which is flanked by two carvings of the moon in two phases and has a stone star as a centerpiece.

Coral Castle is the creation of a small man who worked for 30 years to bring it into being. He labored in secret and died in December, 1951, without revealing his method of handling giant stones and creating these astronomical wonders.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my thanks to the ones who sent flowers and cards, and who visited me while I was in the hospital. The prayers and many kind deeds extended to my wife and me are greatly appreciated. To the staff of the Everglades Memorial Hospital who took care of me, I also give my grateful thanks.
Frank O'Connell.

INFANT DIES

Graveside services for Ronald David Griffith, one-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Griffith of Okeechobee were held at the cemetery in Okeechobee Wednesday afternoon. The infant, born at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Pahokee, on July 7, died July 8.

John Dillin, Secretary of the Lake Wales Chamber of Commerce announced this week that plans have been completed for moving the Chimpanzee Farm from to Lake Wales where it will be greatly expanded and developed as a huge zoological park and botanical gardens.

It Is Unlawful For Any Person Or Persons To Engage In Business Under A Fictitious Name Unless The Name Is Registered

The fictitious name statute was recently changed by the 1951 Legislature and the News has the necessary forms for proper registration and advertising.

The charge for advertising the notice the necessary four times is \$15.

As amended by the 1951 session, the law reads as follows:

"It shall be unlawful for any person or persons, as defined herein, to engage in business as herein defined, under a fictitious name as herein defined, without and unless said fictitious name shall be registered with the clerk of the circuit court of the county where the principal place of business is, which registration shall consist of filing with the clerk aforesaid an affidavit signed by all interested persons, stating under oath the names of all those interested in the business enterprise, the extent of the interest of each, and the fictitious name under which said business is carried on. Said registration may not be made until the person or persons desiring to engage in business under a fictitious name shall have advertised his or their intention to register said fictitious name at least once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in some newspaper as defined by law in the county where said registration is to be made, and said registration shall not be accepted by the clerk of the circuit court except upon receiving proof of such publication."

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The Bond you got for \$18.75 can now pay you \$33.67 ... a \$37.50 Bond will be worth \$67.34 ... and so on.

Of course, any Series E Bond may still be redeemed at any time after you have held it for two months. But, like any other form of saving, your Bonds will mean a great deal

more to you if you can hold on, to them.

Are you one of the millions of Americans who are saving regularly with Savings Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan? If you're not, why not start now? Invest regularly in Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work. Ask your pay office to save as little as 25c a week for you, or as much as you are able.

If you can save just \$5 a week regularly through the Plan, in five years you will have \$1,367.90 ... in 9 years and 8 months, you'll have \$2,850.70 ... and in 19 years and 8 months, \$6,872.45! This Plan is one sure way to save because it saves something out of every check before you have a chance to spend it.

So join the Payroll Savings Plan where you work today. Or, if you are self-employed, start the Bond-A-Month Plan where you bank. It's safe, it's sure, it's automatic. And you will be helping yourself and your country!

If you want to be paid
your interest as current income—
invest in 3% Series H

If you want a good, sound investment which pays you your interest by check every six months, ask at your bank about United States Government Series H Bonds. Series H is a new current income Bond available in denominations of \$500 to \$10,000. Redeemable at par after 6 months and on 30 days' notice. Matures in 9 years and 6 months and pays an average 3% interest per annum if held to maturity. Interest paid semiannually by Treasury check. Series H may be purchased at any bank, annual limit \$20,000.

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FP&L CO. MONTHLY BILLS— RESIDENTIAL SERVICE

In The County

If your old bill outside of City limits was	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$10.00
Under the New Rate it will be	2.36	4.34	9.29
A Reduction of	\$.64	\$.66	\$.71

In A City

If your old bill in town was	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$10.00
Under the New Rate it will be	2.67	4.66	9.60
A Reduction of	\$.33	\$.34	\$.40

Power Co. Files Revised Rates With Utilities Group

Florida Power & Light Company has filed with the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission revised residential and general service rate schedules affecting approximately 600,000 customers, which will result in an annual saving to such customers in the neighborhood of \$3,295,000, which together with the reduction of \$1,128,000 for its large commercial and industrial customers made effective last May, makes a total annual reduction of \$4,423,000.

The principal reduction goes to customers living outside the city limits who have been paying more for electricity than those inside the cities, because the city limits have been used for rate zoning purposes. The Florida Railroad and Utilities Commission apparently considers such zoning preferential. In its order to FP&L on June 13 to file revised rates by July 15 or show cause on August 19 why it should not reduce rates, the Commission indicated that the company's schedules of rates "have not been revised to give full and proper recognition to the tremendous growth of certain portions of the territory served by said utility, and as a result certain rates and charges appear to give undue and unreasonable preference and advantage to some persons and localities and subject other persons and localities to undue and unreasonable prejudice and disadvantage."

In order to completely meet any objections of the Commission, the company has filed one general service schedule to replace three schedules that were set up by sizes of towns and city limits. It has filed two residential schedules to replace three such schedules and has abolished city limit zoning. The rate differential between the larger cities served and the smaller cities, has been reduced.

At a meeting with the Commission on June 25, the company announced that it had concluded to recommend to its Board of Directors a revision of rates rather than subject the company to a lengthy and unnecessary rate case. The time for filing new rates by the company was extended to August 1. However, McGreggor, Smith, FPL's Chairman of the Board stated that "its staff has been working night and day, including Saturdays, Sundays and the 4th of July in order to be able to file new schedules as quickly as possible."

"The show cause order and the possibility of a long, drawn out rate case with the uncertainties involved, has not only had a very depressing effect upon our securities, but upon other public utilities' securities throughout the county. For the week ending July 19, railroad and industrial stocks went up while utilities went down. Neighboring utility stocks have shown almost as much decline as

FP&L stock, which tumbled in the first five days, after the Commission's order, some \$60,000,000 in value."

Mr. Smith further stated, "We have obligated ourselves for a program twice as great as anything we have undertaken previously and we must go to the money markets at least twice a year to sell securities. We must therefore know what our rates are going to be in the future and what the Commission's attitude will be before we feel that we should undertake the sale of future securities."

"Furthermore, when a utility's load is doubling every four or five years, there is a much greater risk of having too much investment upon which it could not earn should the rapid rate of growth fall appreciably.

"We believe there is merit in extending the city and town rates beyond the city limits. We also believe that because of the growth of many of our towns that did not have the so-called metropolitan rate, that there is some justification in lowering the differential between these towns.

"From a practical point of view, it is most difficult to say where one rate should stop and the other begin. In submitting these new schedules, we have adopted a new policy which means that, generally speaking, a customer would take the rate in the district in which he is served, regardless of city limits. "This change in policy brings about a very great reduction in the unincorporated areas reducing such residential customers in some 12 percent to 13 percent. Florida is growing so fast that there may be a few rural customers in one neighborhood today, but in a few months there can be a huge shopping center in their midst with large residential subdivisions. Whereas the former policy might have been preferential to the city customers, the new policy could be said to be preferential for the rural customers, but in a territory that is developing as rapidly as ours is, we believe the Commission will consider this non-preferential."

Mackey Now Serves Bimini Island

FT. LAUDERDALE — Bimini Island, previously served only by seaplanes and yachts, now has daily landplane service with Mackey Airlines planes landing on a new landing strip at 11:30 a. m. each day.

Flies leave Ft. Lauderdale for the 30-minute flight to the British island on a regular schedule. There are three lodges on the island for fishing and vacationing parties, and another soon will open.

Miss Platt To Be Married August 11th



The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Myrie Joann Platt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Platt, 934 East Main St., Pahokee, to Reginald Bryon Chastain, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Chastain, 4330 Baypoint Road, Miami, has been announced by her parents.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Pahokee High School, Class of 1952, and received a BS degree from Florida State University in 1956. At present she is associated with Sears, Roebuck and Company as manager of catalog and telephone sales in the Greater Miami area.

Mr. Chastain is a graduate of Miami Senior High School and attended Florida State University where he majored in political science. In September he will enroll in the University of Miami for studies in preparation for a career in international law.

Plans are being made for an August 11th wedding at the Canal Point Baptist Church.

Jefferson Davis On Flood Board

Jefferson Davis, Homestead, took his place today as member of the governing board of the Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District.

Davis, a former president of the Farm Bureau of Dade County, was appointed by Governor LeRoy Collins to fill the vacancy left on the board upon the resignation of J. Abney Cox, Princeton, Florida.

A native Floridian, Davis has wide experience in the affairs of the Flood Control District gained from his farming operations in south Dade County and his identification with flood control and water conservation problems. Davis is a University of Florida graduate and an active leader in civic affairs.

The Flood Control District Board is composed of W. H. Hitt, West Palm Beach; R. K. McCarty, Fort Pierce; D. G. Click, Clewiston; L. L. Thacker, Kissimmee; and Davis. Bolivar F. Hyde, Jr., is secretary to the Board and the Executive Director of the Flood Control District.

County Budget Is—

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ing road and bridge program. Also included in the fund was money for construction of a new county health building.

A boost of 4 mills was noted in the fine and forfeiture fund—an increase brought on by an expanding criminal court section and a change over from the fee system for the sheriff's department.

A \$1 million item for the first phase of the county's new jet airport was placed in the budget this week, however the item will be raised from sources outside a tax levy. Sale of county owned lands has tentatively been marked for revenue for this section of the budget.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Milton Salvatore entertained at the city park with a party for her son, Woodie, on his fifth birthday anniversary. The hostess was assisted with the serving of refreshments to approximately 20 guests by Mrs. Frank Gillis, Mrs. Richard Hodges and Mrs. Carmen Salvatore, Sr.

New Facilities At Pahokee Harbor

The Pahokee City Council at a meeting in the city clerk's office Wednesday night voted to enter agreement with the Pahokee Marina Corporation for the immediate building of sanitary facilities, including rest rooms, for the convenience of customers and visitors at Pahokee Harbor. The City of Pahokee has \$1,886.05 available in the current budget to spend on this project and the PMC agrees to advance funds for the balance necessary for the construction, the city to repay PMC with monies to be earmarked for this purpose in the 1957-58 budget.

L. G. Alderman presented to the Council a sketch of 10 efficiency apartments which he plans to build on East Main Street and asked that the property on which these apartments will be located be rezoned to commercial C-3. It was voted to grant his request and advertise for a hearing on the proposed rezoning.

In response to a request by R. O. Crosby it was voted to ask the County Board of Public Instruction to dedicate 29 feet of school owned property for the proposed extension of Seventh Street.

A resolution was passed assessing the construction costs of new sidewalks on Carissa Drive to property owners benefitting from the sidewalks and a hearing was set for 8 p. m., Aug. 12, for any complaints on these assessments.

The purchase of two air-conditioners for the city hall was authorized.

Group Returning From Ridgecrest

The following persons are returning this week from Ridgecrest, N. C., where they were attending the First Training Union Week Assembly. They had the use of the Elsworth Keen Cottage while there. Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Chastain, Sue Chastain, Katherine Hughes, Beth Smith, Betty Williams, Ronnie Hitchcock, Bobby Mobley and Horace Scruggs were the ones who attended the Ridgecrest Assembly from the Canal Point Baptist Church.

Stocker-Feeder Sales Scheduled On July 24 At Market

"A Special Stocker-Feeder Sale will be held July 24 in Belle Glade at the Glades Livestock Market. Cattle will be graded and sold in pen lots. Producers are urged to consign cattle early," Manager George C. Young advised Director L. H. Lewis of Florida State Markets.

"During the past week 7,165 cattle and calves and 2,143 hogs and pigs were auctioned through 14 sales centers, eight of which reported gross sales totaling \$212,834.16.

"The previous week's sales on 15 markets totaled 8,720 cattle and calves and 2,029 hogs and pigs with 11 markets showing gross sales of \$335,580.86.

"A report released July 9, 1956 for the week just ended totaled 6,926 cattle and calves and 2,763 hogs and pigs on 15 markets, nine of which reported gross sales of \$187,682.57."

Summaries of the past week's sales follow:

Belle Glade, Glades Livestock Auction Market, July 1, 984 cattle and calves.

Kissimmee Livestock Auction Market, July 3, 439 cattle and calves.

Lakeland, Cattlemen's L. S. Auction Market, July 2, 693 cattle and calves.

Okeechobee Livestock Market, July 2, 423 cattle and calves.

New Equipment At Cleaning Plant

Canal Point Dry Cleaners now has a piece of ultra modern equipment in a new steam generator which was installed last week, according to the owner, H. G. Davidson. The new machine, operated automatically, will generate 100 pounds of steam, warm up the presses and be ready for operation in five minutes. Mr. Davidson, who has operated the plant in Canal Point for several years, invites his friends to drop by and see this splendid new equipment.

Report of Condition of BANK OF PAHOKEE

of Pahokee, in the State of Florida, at the close of business on June 9, 1957.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve	
balance and cash items in process of collection	\$2,274,214.92
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	4,299,593.62
Obligations of State and political subdivisions	9,875.00
Bank premises owned	\$13,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	\$ 9,000.00
Loans and discounts	1,000,533.19
Other assets	16.40

TOTAL ASSETS	\$7,696,733.13
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits, partnerships and corporations	\$5,610,270.11
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	860,520.33
Deposits of United States Government (including postal)	65,917.95
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	772,894.47
Other deposits (certified officers' checks, etc.)	31,872.55
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$7,341,275.41

TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$7,341,275.41
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	105,457.72
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	355,457.72

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$7,696,733.13
This bank's capital consists of common stock with total par value of \$100,000.00.	

MEMORANDA
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$1,020,300.00
Loans as shown above are net deduction of reserves of 63,655.87
J. E. P. McIlwain, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. E. P. McIlwain

Correct—Attest

Rupert Mook
Lewis Friend
Directors

H. M. McIntosh
State of Florida, County of Palm Beach, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of July, 1957 and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
MELBA CRUTCHER
(NOTARY SEAL) Notary Public
My commission expires Aug. 7, 1959